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Mr. M. Earl Harter  
Central Intelligence Agency

Dear Mr. Harter:

Your outstanding contribution to the recent success of a special project which took place in [redacted] has come to my attention.

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I am informed that under exceptionally difficult conditions by your courage, tenacity, and professional skill you carried out successfully a mission, the fulfillment of which provided intelligence material of great significance. I wish to commend you for an important contribution to the achievement of the goals of this organization.

This commendation will become a part of your permanent personnel record.

Sincerely,

Walter B. Smith  
Director

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